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April 27, 2020

In response to the recent COVID-19 pandemic the City of Tucson has implemented the following program waivers effective April 14, 2020. The implementation of these waivers is in accordance with Notice PIH 2020-05 issued on April 10, 2020 by the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD):

• Community Service and Self-Sufficiency Requirement (CSSR):

Based on the recent COVID-19 pandemic Community Service will not be verified until March 31, 2021

• Energy Audits:

A energy audit will complete no later than **December 31, 2021**.

• Over-Income Families:

Families who have been over-income for two-consecutive years will not be terminated or the rent will not be increased until after **December 31, 2020**.

• Resident Council Elections:

The City of Tucson has elected to delay resident council elections until after <u>July 31,</u> 2020

• Family Income and Composition: Delayed Annual Reexamination:

The City of Tucson has elected to complete all delayed recertifications for CY (2020) by **December 31, 2020**. *Tax Credit properties are excluded from this waiver*.

• <u>Family Income and Composition: Annual Examination – Income Verification</u> requirements:

The City of Tucson will accept tenant supplied documentation as verification for income verification through <u>July 31, 2020</u>

• Family Income and Composition: Interim Examinations:

The City of Tucson will accept tenant supplied documentation as verification by either phone, email or other electronic communication effective through <u>July 31, 2020</u>.



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<u>Family Self-Sufficiency (FSS) Contract of Participation: Contract Extension</u>: The COVID-19 qualifies as a "good cause" to extend a family's contract of participation this qualification is available through <u>December 31, 2020.</u>

